

DEATH and Destruction Follow Terrific STORM

MIDDLE WEST REMAINS IN GRIP OF HURRICANE

GREAT FIGHT TO SAVE COLORADO FRUIT CROP

(By Associated Press.)
DENVER, April 30.—The entire Colorado fruit crop, worth millions of dollars, is the prize in a battle between the smudge pots of orchardists and the killing frost which is predicted throughout the state. Every valley in which fruit is grown is bright with the light of thousands of charcoal fires tonight, to light and replenish every man, woman and child has been pressed into service.

LUMBERJACKS ARE DRY.
(By Associated Press.)
DETROIT, April 30.—Tonight 586 saloons and ten breweries in nineteen counties which voted "dry" at the last election, closed their doors. Thirty of eighty-three counties in Michigan are now dry.

Many Are Dead and Damage to Property Will Amount to Millions of Dollars---Storm Still Traveling.

At Some Points Wind and Rain Has Changed to Blizzard and the People Suffering Greatly From the Severe Cold.

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, April 30.—Death and destruction followed in the wake of the storm that swept over the middle west last night. In Chicago many houses were unroofed, homes were blown over and the people driven into the storm. At least twenty are known to be dead. A great destruction was wrought by the storm before it reached the Great Lakes. At Golden, Missouri, the business section was wrecked and eleven people were killed. The wind created havoc at Bomerville, Missouri, two people being killed. The storm was furious in southern Illinois. At Texas City four persons were killed and many wounded. Great damage was caused to the crops and property in Michigan and at Shore Lake, Michigan, many boats on the Great Lakes were imperiled and several are reported sunk. At Michigan City, Indiana, a portion of the wall of the Indiana penitentiary was destroyed. The militia at South Bend was called to guard the prisoners. In Wisconsin the storm was converted into a blizzard and a snow storm raging for many hours caused great property loss. In Winnipeg the cold is intense and the strike has led to a scarcity of coal. The of-

fice buildings are not heated, the schools are closed and the farmers are burning fence posts. The department of labor at Ottawa has been urgently appealed to intercede in the miners' strike.

ATLANTA, April 30.—An epidemic of tornadoes that swept through the south last night and today leaving in its trail many dead and the dismantled wrecks of property worth many millions. At least a hundred persons are reported dead. The list of dead and property loss may not be completed for many days, but from many places come fearful tales of the loss of life and property inflicted by the storm. At Franklin and Hillsboro, Tennessee there was much loss of life, the latter town being practically wiped out. Near Pulaski the death list reached twelve, with many injured. The tornado swept the Cumberland valley, wrecking the small towns and destroying the farm houses. Memphis reports heavy losses from the towns within a radius of 100 miles in three states. From points in Arkansas come stories of heavy losses. Striking Alabama and heading southwesterly the hurricane continued its course of destruction tonight. The storm is still raging late tonight and the wires are down in all directions.

RAISIN DAY IS OBSERVED IN FRESNO

(By Associated Press.)
FRESNO, April 30.—Raisin day was observed in Fresno by a half holiday, but there was no local celebration. There were several raisin picnics and raisins figured prominently in the menus of the hotels. Tonight the Native Sons gave a ball as a concluding feature.

GLYCERINE EXPLOSION COSTS FOUR LIVES

(By Associated Press.)
TAMAQUA (Pa.), April 30.—Four workmen were killed by an explosion in the glycerine packing house of the Potts Powder company at Reynolds, Pennsylvania, near here today. Four other workmen were injured. The cause of the explosion is not known.

FORMER OFFICIALS UNITED STATES MINT TESTIFY

Government Employees Take Stand in Calhoun Trial and State Defendant Authorized Payment Large Sum.

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—In an effort to prove that Calhoun authorized the payments which the members of the Schmitz board of supervisors have testified to receiving, two former officials of the United States mint are here, having been summoned to testify for the prosecution today. Frank A. Lynch, the former superintendent of the branch mint in this city, and Thomas P. Burns who was in charge of the United States sub-treasury at the time that institution took the place of the clearing house for banks, were practically in the agreement on testimony to the effect that Calhoun after authorizing the payment of \$200,000 to agents previously designated, sent to the mint written and telegraphic orders presented by Tiery L. Ford, the general counsel of the street railway company, for the delivery of that sum. The prosecution also summoned J. S. Tobin, a former director of the street railway company, and he testified that the directors had received no mention of the appropriation for the overhead trolley permit or any provision for a disbursement of \$200,000 that Calhoun had ordered paid to Ford. Charles Bixton, the former supervisor and temporary mayor after Schmitz was deposed, was the last witness summoned during the day.

SENDS SUPPLIES TO SUFFERERS OF THE MASSACRES

(By Associated Press.)
CONSTANTINOPLE, April 30.—Rev. W. W. Peet, the representative of the American Foreign Missionary board, who is managing the relief work on behalf of the sufferers of the massacres, has shipped twelve tons of flour and 150,000 pounds of rice to Adana. A letter from Rev. Christie at Tarsus, places the dead at Adana at 1000 and over 300 in the neighboring towns. He gives a vivid description of the bloody work and desolation of the burned and looted towns.

NAN PATTERSON MADE SICK BY PUBLICITY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, April 30.—Publicity has become so abhorrent to Nan Patterson that she was the victim of a nervous collapse yesterday after reading in a newspaper that she had been identified as the mysterious woman caller on Bernard Stevens, a young bank clerk who lies wounded in a Washington hospital. Mrs. Martin, as Nan Patterson is now known, caused her physician, Dr. J. Franklin Hilton, to notify the newspapers today that she was too ill to receive reporters. Young Stevens was shot by a negro, he says, in the Fourteenth street branch of the United States Savings bank. J. M. Baker was in the bank at the time. No witnesses have been found who saw a negro leave the bank building after the alleged shooting. Stevens was a lodger in the home of Nan Patterson's parents.

WEATHER HELPS THE THE WHEAT MARKET

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, April 30.—The unfavorable weather conditions of the north-west were the chief reasons for a strong opening in the wheat market today. At the close July was 1.11 1-4, May 1.23 3-4 and 7-8.

DEBATE ON PROHIBITION BEFORE LARGE AUDIENCE

Mayor of Milwaukee and College President Argue on Subject Before a Large Crowd at Chicago.

THORNTON HAINS TAKES STAND TO DEFEND BROTHER

(By Associated Press.)
FLUSHING, April 30.—The incidents leading up to the shooting of William E. Annis by Captain Hains was graphically reviewed on the witness stand today by Thornton Jenkins Hains, the defendant brother. Thornton was called to the stand after the end of the cross-examination of General Hains. The witness startled the court room and brought upon himself censure from the judge when he uttered a loud cry in an attempt to echo the heartrending cry of his brother on the night he heard of the unfaithfulness of his wife.

SEEK GOLD HIDDEN BY THEIR ANCESTERS

(By Associated Press.)
ALBANY (N. Y.), April 30.—Nine men from Cleveland, Ohio, are watching closely the rebuilding and restoring of Fort Ticonderoga in the hope of recovering a large fortune in gold and property, which they believe was buried by a relative of theirs, who fought through the revolutionary war.

The old fort is being restored under the direction of Mrs. Stephen H. P. Pell, and the expense is being borne by her father, Colonel Robert M. Thompson, both of New York City. Since the work has begun the nine Cleveland men have been about the fort constantly, and have observed closely all the excavations which have been made. They have a map and a secret code of directions which they say was left by their relative as a guide to the spot where the treasure was buried.

The Honolulu Sugar company dividend of 25 cents is payable May 8.

(Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, April 30.—Before an audience and with generous applause for each speaker, Mayor Rose of Milwaukee, and President Samuel Dickie of Albion college debated the prohibition question tonight. Mayor Rose in arguing the negative side of the proposition that prohibition is right said that it is an extreme remedy and wholly insufficient and destructive of actual practice. On the other hand he said he realized that the joint saloon and dive was a menace to society, and that some rational middle ground must be sought. He presented statistics from Kansas and other prohibition states in an effort to show that prohibition is not stopping drunkenness. President Dickie for the affirmative declared that liquor drinking shortens life and increases the liability for disease. Of the dealers he said: "The brand of Cain seemed to be upon them. The net result of their life and labor is to lower the moral tone of the community. Civil liberty and the liquor traffic are engaged in a death struggle. Civil liberty will live and the saloon die."

RUNNING HORSES ARE BEING SHIPPED NORTH

(By Associated Press.)
EMERYVILLE, April 30.—A special train of twenty-one carloads of horses destined for racing at the summer meeting of the Victoria Country club, at Victoria, B. C., left here for the north yesterday. The Emeryville race track enclosure is now deserted save for the stables of William Cahill, William Hawke, William Durker, V. H. Terry and Molera and Joseph. With the exception of the last named string, all the others will get away within a day or two. Cahill will go to Toronto, Hawke to Salt Lake, and Durker and Terry to Victoria.

ARRESTED AS EMBEZZLER

(By Associated Press.)
OAKLAND, April 30.—Earl B. Bogardus, paying teller of the Bank of Germany, was arrested today charged by the bank of having embezzled \$3000. This amount is set as the first, as it has not yet been determined to what extent his pecuniations have gone.

FAIRBANKS BUYS IN PASADENA.

(By Associated Press.)
PASADENA, April 30.—Charles Warren Fairbanks, former vice president, concluded through agents today a deal for the purchase of a \$20,000 residence in one of the fashionable districts of Pasadena. It is said he will make this his future home.

NEW CABINET WILL PRESIDE OVER TURKEY

(By Associated Press.)
CONSTANTINOPLE, April 30.—Tewfik Pasha has finally succeeded in forming a new cabinet to preside over the Turkish empire, a task which he undertook reluctantly. Mehemmed V drove through the streets today in a democratic fashion on his way to the mosque to offer the regular Friday prayers. The pomp which attended this function in the reign of Abdul Hamid was entirely lacking, and the subjects of the sultan seemed to appreciate it as the beginning of a more lenient rule. The report from Saloniki that the deposed sultan will be court-martialed is denied here.

COUPLE, WAIST DEEP IN CREEK, MARRIED

SAILOR SPRINGS (Ill.), April 30.—At a baptizing yesterday in a small creek near here, Pearl Johnson and Miss Nora Murray, both living near here, were baptized and immediately afterwards, while standing in water waist-deep, were married. More than 200 spectators were witnesses to the ceremony.

Western Pacific stock was \$36 bid in New York yesterday.

HAS SOLD THE QUO VADIS MINE AT LOS VEGAS

LAS VEGAS, April 30.—Robert Vincent and John B. Anderson, owners of the Quo Vadis group of claims near Railroad Pass, have given a lease and bond on the property to H. H. Farrell of this city, the purchase price being fixed at \$50,000. Under the terms of the lease development work has been begun and will be continued during the life of the lease. The Quo Vadis has been long considered one of the most promising groups of mining claims in this section. Excellent samples of ore have been taken from the property, but as yet the amount of development work has been too small to determine its real value. It is the expectation that ore may be taken from the property from the start, sufficient to carry on the necessary work to prove the property. The erection of sampling works by the Western Ore Purchasing company will be a great aid in the development of mining properties in this manner. Shipments will be made as soon as there is sufficient ore in sight and the returns therefrom divided on the royalty basis, the portion going to the previous owners to be applied on the purchase price of the property.

SIGNS POINT TO BOXING REVIVAL IN WINDY CITY

CHICAGO, April 30.—Frenzied activity among pugilists is the result of news from Springfield that the Walsh boxing bill has been favorably reported to the house. If it passes it is expected the fighting game will once more hold sway in Chicago. Six-round bouts are provided for in the bill, and so far there has been no opposition manifested. Decisions are barred. The sale or gift of intoxicating liquor at any place where a bout is held is prohibited and six-ounce gloves are required. There is one clause in the measure, however, which may or may not be the "joker." This is a paragraph confining the sport to "established" clubs or societies. Whether this means clubs already established or those which may be formed hereafter is not stated. Passing of the bill will mean a sudden shift in the plans of many boxers who have been confining their operations to the two coasts of late. McFarland and Nelson could probably draw as much in this city as on the Pacific coast and a bout here may be arranged in case they can transfer the go from Coffroth's club.

GOING UP!
(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, April 30.—Silver, 53; lead, 4.30@4.25; copper, 12.875@12.00.